

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
**RESOLUTION NO. 2004 - 0001**

APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE  
LAHONTAN REGION TO REVISE WASTE DISCHARGE PROHIBITION EXEMPTION  
CRITERIA FOR THE MOJAVE HYDROLOGIC UNIT

WHEREAS:

1. The Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) adopted an updated Water Quality Control Plan for the Lahontan Region (Basin Plan) on September 9, 1993 and added amendments on October 14, 1994. The adopted Basin Plan was approved by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) on January 19, 1995 and by the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) on April 26, 1995.
2. On September 10, 2003, the Regional Board adopted Resolution No. R6V-2003-049 ([Attachment 1](#)) to revise the waste discharge prohibition ([Attachment 2](#)) exemption criteria for the Mojave Hydrologic Unit in San Bernardino County.
3. Regional Board staff prepared documents and followed procedures satisfying environmental documentation requirements in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act and other State laws and regulations.
4. The Regional Board finds that the additions of this amendment would result in no adverse effect on wildlife, and the amendment would be consistent with the federal Clean Water Act and State Antidegradation Policy (SWRCB Resolution No. 68-16).
5. A Basin Plan amendment does not become effective until approved by SWRCB, until the regulatory provisions are approved by OAL, and until provisions related to water quality standards are approved by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA).

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE SWRCB:

1. Approves the amendment to the Basin Plan as adopted under Regional Board Resolution No. R6V-2003-049.
2. Authorizes the Executive Director or designee to submit the amendment and administrative record for this action to OAL and USEPA for approval.

**CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned, Clerk to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on January 22, 2004.

  
Debbie Irvin  
Clerk to the Board